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FOR S/S-EX

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS R.)
SUBJ: SECRETARY'S VISIT - ADMINISTRATIVE/LOGISTICAL ARRANGEMENTS

REF: STATE 164715

1. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED PURSUANT TO REFTEL
AND OTHER MESSAGES.

A. CONTROL OFFICER: VISIT CONTROL OFFICER WILL BE DCM

H. FREEMAN MATTHEWS, JR.

B. ASSISTANT CONTROL OFFICER AND ESCORT FOR MRS. VANCE WILL
BE CONSUL GENERAL ROBERT CHASE.

C. ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR-ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR
RALPH SCARRITT.

D. FSO JOHN B. CRAIG AND FSO VITTORIO BROD ARE S/S
LIAISON OFFICERS.

2. ACCOMMODATIONS: DESPITE FACT THAT IT IS TOURIST
SEASON AND PALESTINE HOTEL FULLY BOOKED AND/OR RESERVED, WE
ARE RECEIVING AND EXPECT TO CONTINUE TO RECEIVE EXCELLENT
COOPERATION FROM HOTEL GENERAL MANAGER. WE ARE CURRENTLY
PREPARING ROOM ASSIGNMENTS LIST INVOLVING A STAGGERED
SCHEDULE TO ACCOMMODATE ADVANCE PERSONNEL. THUS WILL BE
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READY TO RESPOND PROMPTLY TO ROOM AND CAR ASSIGNMENTS
REQUIREMENT AFTER RECEIPT OF TOTAL MANIFEST.

3. ENTRY/EXIT FORMALITIES.

A. ANTICIPATE NO DIFFICULTIES IN OBTAINING WAIVER FOR NORMAL
VISA REQUIREMENTS FOR PLANE, PASSENGERS AND CREW IN
ALEXANDRIA, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF FACT THAT ARRIVAL AND

DEPARTURE WILL BE FROM MILITARY AIRFIELD (SEE CAIRO 12399).
IN CAIRO, EMBASSY EXPEDITOR WILL ASSIST ADVANCE S/S AND
SY AND C&R PERSONNEL THROUGH VISA AND CUSTOMS FORMALITIES
AND WILL OBTAIN AIRPORT VISA. S/S ADVANCE SHOULD CONTACT
DCM MATTHEWS ON ARRIVAL AT CHANCERY.

B. ON ARRIVAL IN ALEXANDRIA, EMBASSY OFFICER WILL
RECEIVED PASSPORTS FROM S/S -EX OFFICER AT PLANESIDE FOR
CONSOLIDATED IMMIGRATION/CUSTOMS CLEARANCES.

4. SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT: ALL FURNITURE, SUPPLIES AND
EQUIPMENT REQUESTED REFTEL WILL BE PROVIDED.

5. GROUND TRANSPORTATION.

A. GOE HAS OFFERED ONE OF PRESIDENT'S ARMORED LIMOUSINES
FOR THE SECRETARY'S USE. BAGGAGE AND OTHER VEHICLES
REQUIRED AT PLANESIDE, INCLUDING VEHICLE FOR PLANE CREW,
WILL BE PROVIDED. MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS WILL
BE INCORPORATED IN ROOM ASSIGNMENTS TELEGRAM REFERRED
TO ABOVE. IN ADDITION, ALL MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS WILL
BE DETAILED IN THE SCENARIOS.

B. MINI-BUSES WILL BE RENTED FOR TRAVELING PRESS AND FOR
PLANE CREW.

6. BAGGAGE/CLASSIFIED MATERIAL: WHILE STILL SUBJECT TO
CONFIRMATION (AIR ATTACHE WILL BE IN ALEXANDRIA TODAY TO
DISCUSS HELICOPTER AVAILABILITIES) , WE ANTICIPATE
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MOVING SECRETARY'S BAGGAGE AND CLASSIFIED
ON HELICOPTER LIFT. BALANCE OF BAGGAGE FOR
PARTY WILL BE MOVED BY GROUND TRANSPORTATION. CONSIDERING
DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 57 MILES AND NORMAL HEAVY TRAFFIC
IN ALEXANDRIA AT 6 TO 8 P. M., MEMBERS OF PARTY AND
ACCOMPANYING SUPPORT STAFF (OTHER THAN SECRETARY) SHOULD
ANTICIPATE APPROXIMATELY 2 HOURS BETWEEN ARRIVAL AT
GIANACLIS AND DELIVERY OF BAGGAGE TO HOTEL ROOMS.

7. GIFTS: EMBASSY HAS NOTED CAREFULLY THE INSTRUCTIONS
IN STATE 171992 ON SUBJECT. IF, AS WE EXPECT, TOKEN
GIFTS ARE EXCHANGED, FSO HAYWOOD RANKIN WILL SERVE AS GIFTS
OFFICER.

8. SECRETARIAL AND COURIER SUPPORT: SUPPORT REQUESTED FOR
THIS PURPOSE WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ASSIST S/S IN HOTEL
AND PROVIDE COURER SERVICE BETWEENCONSUL GENERAL
AND PALESTINE HOTEL AS REQUESTED.

10. MISCELLANEOUS.

A. TRAVEL TIMES: WE ARE RUNNING ROUTES TODAY AND WILL
REPORT RUNNING TIMES TOMORROW.

B. HOLIDAYS: NO LOCAL HOLIDAYS ARE SCHEDULED DURING THE PERIOD OF THE VISIT AND NO OTHER EXTRANEEOUS CONSIDERATIONS WHICH WOULD ADVERSELY AFFECT THE VISIT ARE CONTEMPLATED.

C. ALEXANDRIA TEMPERATURE WILL RANGE BETWEEN 85 AND 95 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT, WITH VARIABLE HUMIDITY. EVENINGS ARE COMFORTABLE. WRAPS OR SHAWLS FOR LADY MEMBERS OF THE PARTY WILL NOT BE NECESSARY.

D. NO BLACK TIE FUNCTIONS ARE SCHEDULED.

E. ROOMS WILL BE MARKED AND KEYS PLACED IN DOORS OR IN UNLOCKED ROOMS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL.

F. ELECTRICAL CURRENT IN ALEXANDRIA AND IN HOTEL IS 220-VOLT/50 -CYCLE. ADAPTOR PLUGS AND TRANSFORMERS WILL BE AVAILABLE
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